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C O N F I D E N T I A L RABAT 2447

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: EAIR SP ICAO MO
SUBJECT: MOROCCAN AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLER'S STRIKE

REF: MADRID 3440

1. SLOWDOWN REPORTED REFTEL ALSO NOTED HERE WHEN INCOMING AIR TRAFFIC FOR KENITRA NAVAL TRAINING STATION LIMITED TO ONE ENTRY PER HALF HOUR LAST WEEK. ROYAL AIR MAROC FLIGHTS ALSO AFFECTED.

2. UPON CHECKING WITH GOM CHIEF AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLER, IT WAS LEARNED THAT THESE WERE DELIBERATE ACTS BY STRIKING MOROCCAN AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLERS INTENDED AS LEVERAGE IN TERMS-OF-WORK NEGOTIATIONS. OTHER ACTS DURING SEMI-STRIKE INCLUDED DELAYS IN ANSWERING AIRCRAFT, DELAYED RESPONSES TO TELEXES, APPROVING FLIGHT LEVELS, ETC.

3. DISCUSSIONS TO SETTLE DISPUTE PROGRESSING AND
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